Board Action Report February 1, 2005 C. William Schmidt, Executive Director

The cases described below represent disciplinary proceedings concluded by the Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure since January 4, 2005. If you require copies of documentation related to a particular case, please refer to the Board's web site and search, using the *Physician Profile/Verification of Physician License* page at www.kbml.ky.gov or make a written request pursuant to Kentucky Open Records law.

<u>James E. Carter, M.D.</u> – (Monroe County) # 12497. Agreed Order entered into on 1/13/05.

Mark W. Rukavina, M.D. – (Madison County) #22686. Agreed Order of Indefinite Restriction entered into on 1/24/05.

<u>Morteza H. Shafa, M.D.</u> – (Ballard Count) #22367. Agreed Order entered into on 1/13/05.

Restrictions have also been placed on the following physician's license pending resolution of charges brought against the physician.

John T. Ebert, M.D. – (Christian County) # 31114.

A Complaint and Emergency Order of Suspension were issued by the Board on 1/21/05. Effective 1/24/05, physician prevented from practicing medicine in the Commonwealth of Kentucky until further Order of the Board.

Craig H. Leicht, M.D. – (Clay County) # 31802.

A Complaint and Emergency Order of Suspension were issued by the Board on 1/20/05. Effective 1/24/05, physician prevented from practicing medicine in the Commonwealth of Kentucky until further Order of the Board.

James E. Little, D.O. – (McCreary County) #01195.

A Complaint and Emergency Order of Suspension were issued by the Board on 1/21/05. Effective 1/24/05, physician prevented from practicing osteopathy in the Commonwealth of Kentucky until further Order of the Board.

Action was also taken on the following physician's assistant:

<u>Terry A. Lawson, PA-C.</u> – (McCreary County) Ctf. #PA378. A Complaint and Emergency Order of Suspension were issued by the Board on 1/21/05. Effective 1/24/05, Mr. Lawson suspended from acting as a physician assistant in the Commonwealth of Kentucky until further Order of the Board.